

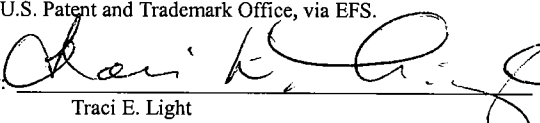
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Hudson Freeze *et al.*  
Serial No.: 10/500,480 Group No.: 1651  
Filed: 12/13/2004 Examiner: MacAuley, S.R.  
Entitled: **Novel Ligand Involved In The Transmigration Of Leukocytes**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 5, 2008**

**BOX FEE AMENDMENT**

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Examiner MacAuley:

This communication is responsive to the above-referenced Office Action, a response to which is due by July 5, 2008. A petition and fee for a two-month extension of time until September 5, 2008 is enclosed. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following.

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